The resolution of boundary question between India and China is outstanding. The two sides also have differences in the perception of the Line of Actual Control (LAC) in the India-China border areas. Both sides carry out patrolling activity in the India-China border areas. Chinese activities along LAC are to be viewed in this, context.

(b) and (c) The matter regarding violation of the international borders/ LAC has been raised with respective neighboring countries through diplomatic channels as well as border personnel meetings. The Government of India is committed to safeguarding the sanctity of India's international boundaries and to take all necessary steps to ensure that these are not violated.

Rehabilitation work in Tsunami hit areas in Southern States

823. SHRI K. CHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the rehabilitation works are still underway in the Tsunami struck areas in the Southern States of the country;

(b) if so, the State-wise and district-wise details of the status of the work;

(c) the amount so far released to each state by the Centre towards the relief measures;

(d) whether it has come to the notice of Government that some State Governments diverted the relief amount to other areas; and

(e) if so, the details and response of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY): (a) to (e) The Government of India has sanctioned a special package of Rs. 3644.05 crore named as "Rajiv Gandhi Rehabilitation Package for Tsunami affected areas" to supplement the efforts of the State Governments and Union Territories to provide assistance for immediate relief and response, revival of fishery and agriculture sectors, construction of temporary shelters, immediate repair/restoration of infrastructure. The details of the package, affected State/Union Territory-wise, are in the Statement. (See below).

The Planning Commission are finalizing the long-term Tsunami Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Programme.

No specific reports with regard to the diversion or mis-utilisation of funds by State/UT Governments have been received by the Ministry of Home Affairs.

Statement

Details of Rajiv Gandhi Rehabilitation Package for the Tsunami affected StatesAJnion Tenitories.

A Main land:

(Rs. in crore)

State	From CRF/ NCCF	other Ministries	Fishing Subsidy	Sector Loan	F;asjomg Harbour grant	Housing	Total
Andhra	19.53	13.00	27.66	7.51	13.07	2.30	70.00
Pradesh	84.10	23.21	44.85	34.13	9.94	50.00	249.36
Kerala	617.20	62.50	441.08	566.47		650.00	2347.19
Tamil Nadu							
Sub Total	720.83	98.71	513.59	608.11	23.01	702.30	2666.55
Pondicherry	39.98	2.5	32.01	31.13	0.20	50.00	155.62
Grand Total	760.61	101.21	545.60	639.24	23.21	752.30	2822.17

Note: Includes additional, Rs. 91.13 crore has been approved under fishery sector. (Rs. 84.54 crore - Tamil Nadu, Rs. 3.42 crore- Kerala, Rs. 1.01 crore to Andhra Pradeshand Rs. 2.16 crore to Pondicherry)
CRF=Calamity Relief Fund. NCCF=National Calamity contingency Fund.

B. Andaman & Nicobar Islands:

(Rs. in crore)

Assistance covered	Amount	Remarks
(A) Assistance as per CRF/NCF norms	313.19	This includes 15.37 crore from ARWSP out of the budget of Department of Drinking Water Supply.
(B) Assistance covered under norms with relaxation of scale	215.65	This includes 7,500 MT. foodgrains (rice) under SGRY, valued at Rs. 7.50 crore
1. Assistance covered under norms with a special package		
(i) Revival of economic activity		
(a) Fishermen	15.01	
(b) Agriculture	239.54	
(ii) Rehabilitation of orphans, widows, disabled, unmarried girls	8.60	
(iii) Immediate restoration of admistration and infrastructure activity	29.89	
Grand Total:	821.8	

ARWSP=Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme. SGRY=Sampooran Grameen Rozgar Yojana. C. Total Package (A+B): Rs. 3644.05 crore.